

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency
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ARKANSAS NOTICE FLP-127

For: County Offices

**Emergency (EM) Loan Program
Commodity Prices For Calculating Losses**

Approved by: State Executive Director



1 Overview

A Purpose

FSA Handbook, Direct Loan Making, Part 9, Emergency Loan Program, 3FLP requires the SED to issue commodity prices each year.

B Contact

Any questions concerning this notice should be directed to Tom Howard, Farm Loan Programs Specialist, at 501-301-3035 or Email: tom.howard@ar.usda.gov

2 Action

The unit prices for agricultural commodities listed on the attached exhibit is established on a State wide basis by the State Executive Director. Once established, these prices will not be changed.

A Filing Instructions

A copy of this should be filed preceding Handbook 3-FLP.

Disposal	Distribution
April 1, 2005	All County Offices

COMMODITY PRICES FOR CALCULATING LOSSES

The following commodity prices are to be used in calculating losses for any disaster that happens in the following calendar year. **(January 1, 2004 through December 31, 2004)**

<u>Commodity</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Price</u>
Cotton (lint)	lb.	\$ 0.6490
Corn (grain)	bu.	2.40
Rice	cwt.	6.90
Sorghum (grain)	cwt.	4.20
Soybean	bu.	7.25
Wheat	bu.	3.10
Alfalfa (baled)	ton	137.00
Hay, All Grass (baled)	ton	48.00
Milk (uniform)	cwt.	13.43
Catfish (foodsize, live)	lb.	0.56
Hogs, all	cwt.	35.00
Calves, all	cwt.	94.20
Steers & Heifers	cwt.	82.80
Cows 1/	cwt.	39.00
Apples	lb.	0.24
Blueberries	lb.	1.33
Grapes	ton	521.00
Peaches	lb.	0.48
Pecans (all)	lb.	0.95
Tomatoes	cwt.	46.00
Watermelons	lb.	0.066

1/ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

Prices for commodities not listed **MUST** be requested from the Farm Loan Programs Section.